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1. EMBASSY OFFICER CONTACTED MADAME BEGON IN ABSENCE OF LA FAURIE

AT FINANCE MINISTRY'S DIRECTION OF EXTERIOR ECONOMI RELATIONS (DREE) RE EXTENSION OF FAC. MADAME BEGON INDICATED GOF WAS AMONG THOSE IN EC WHO MOST FAVORED FAC EXTENSION FOR AT LEAST TWO YEARS AND WOULD DO WHATEVER POSSIBLE WITHIN EC TO SUPPORT POSITIVE DECISION ON EXTENSION.

2. ABOVE INFO WAS CONFIRMED BY PATRICK IMHAUS, QUAI OFFICIAL CONCERNED WITH MULTILATERAL ECONOMIC AFFAIRS (COMMODITIES). HE BELIEVED FAC WAS STILL NOT ON EC PERM REP AGENDA FOR JANUARY 30 DESPITE GOF EFFORT. HE EXPRESSED OPINION THAT VIEW OF UK WAS ADAMANT IN OPPOSITION TO FAC EXTENSION; HE WAS NOT SANGUINE RE POSSIBLE UK VOLTE FACE. IMHAUS AGREED WITH RATIONALE STATED IN PARA 6, REFTEL, I.E.EXPIRATION OF FAC WOULD HAVE UNDESIRABLE PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT ON PREPARATIONS FOR WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE. STONE

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